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**Hartley Gets
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 That G.O.P. liability, Fred Hartley, continues to flit from one Chamber of Commerce meeting to another, defending (at so much per) that law he wrote along with Sen. Taft and a staff of NAM lawyers.
 Recently he addressed the Queens (N.Y.) Chamber of Commerce and called the law a potential force for "great industrial peace."
 He then expressed regret that there has been a great deal of emphasis in the wrong direction" since Nov. 2, and clamor to repeal it.
 It's obvious what a union worker would say to such an argument. But imagine Mr. Hartley's shock when one of the businessmen attending the dinner shouted:
 "Boloney!"
 Now, how do you suppose that "union agitator" ever wormed his way into the Queens Chamber of Commerce.—N. J. Labor Herald.

HOW THEY SOLVED
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 arrived from the British Isles and continental Europe, the market value of slaves and indentured servants dropped. As their value dropped there developed a willingness, among their owners, to let them go free—without waiting for an emancipation law.
Why Slavery Disappeared
 The most influential men, in the North as well as in the South, refused to become alarmed at the evils of bond labor. Delegate John Adams told the Continental Congress in 1777: "It is of no consequence by what name you call the people, whether by that of freemen or slaves. In some countries the laboring poor are called freemen, in others they are called slaves; but the difference as to the state is imaginary only. . . . The condition of the laboring poor in most countries—that of the fishermen particularly in Northern states—is as abject as that of slavery."
 Ten years later, when idealists raised the subject in the convention which drafted the Constitution of the United States, Oliver Ellsworth of Connecticut stated the view of the hard-headed majority that the new Federal government should ignore the "morality or wisdom of slavery." "Let us not intermeddle," he urged, adding this unequivocal prediction: "As population increases, poor laborers will be so plenty as to render slaves useless."
 (The industrial history of America during the last century and a half has been largely a history of attempts by employers to exploit surpluses of labor and of labor's resistance to such exploitation. As regards the printing industry, especially, the documents bearing on this contest have been well kept. In the next Picket will be told how free journeyman printers first became a noticeable factor in the industry, how they first combined to secure wage scales, and how they adopted their first craft laws to protect their scales.)

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SENATE APPROVES PROBES ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS
 Washington.—The Senate authorized its banking committee to conduct a study of the "spread" between prices farmers received for their products and what consumers have to pay at the retail level.
 The Senate approved a resolution giving the committee \$50,000 to investigate economic stabilization, banking and credit legislation and the problems of small business. Senator Burnet R. Maybank of South Carolina, committee chairman, intends to use part of the money for his price "spread" inquiry.
 The Senate also voted to allow \$30,000, if the House agreed and paid half, for the Joint Economic Committee to study investments, unemployment, low-income families and monetary policies.

IRO REPORTS ARRIVAL IN U. S. OF 20,000TH DP
 New York.—Blonde, 5-year-old Janina Vaitkevicius, who arrived aboard the army transport General Harry Taylor with her parents, 2 brothers and 875 other displaced persons, is the 20,000th D. P. to reach this country under the Displaced Persons Act of 1948, it was revealed by the International Refugee Organization.

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NUMBER OF FACTORY JOBS NEARLY 50% OVER '49 LEVEL
 Washington.—The number of production workers in United States factories rose from 7,800,000 in prewar 1939 to 11,900,000 in 1947, an increase of about 50 percent, the Census Bureau reported.
 Total wages of these workers increased from \$9,000,000,000 to \$30,000,000,000 in the same time, a rise of 235 percent.
 The bureau summarized data obtained in the 1947 census of manufacturers. It said reports from 241,000 manufacturing companies showed the value added to materials by the manufacturing process amounted to \$74,000,000,000 in 1947, more than triple the comparable figure of \$24,000,000,000 in 1939.

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